



**Covina Police Department**  
444 N. Citrus Ave. - Covina, CA 91723

## **PRESS RELEASE**

John Curley  
Chief of Police

# **SHOOTOUT IN LOCAL APARTMENTS ENDS IN ONE SUBJECT DECEASED**



**Date/Time:** June 2, 2020 / 8:00 AM  
**Incident:** Homicide Investigation  
**Location:** 1100 E. Wanamaker Dr, Covina

On 05/31/20 at approximately 12:20 PM, Covina PD Officers responded to the 1100 block of E. Wanamaker Dr regarding a call of multiple gunshots fired. Upon arrival, they discovered a 28-year-old male on the ground outside with apparent gunshot wounds, who was later pronounced deceased at Pomona Valley Hospital. The victim's brother, Rick Ortega (26) of Pomona, was arrested for being involved in the shooting. Detectives responded and found a handgun along with shell casings. There are other outstanding suspect(s) and this investigation is on-going.

Any information regarding this crime, please contact Covina Police Department Detective Gonzales (626) 384-5622, or Crime Stoppers (800) 222-TIPS (8477). Refer to Covina PD Incident #20-14347. [PR by PIO Sgt Rodriguez 2160]